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# DEDICATION



To Mrs. Marie Murphy, we respectfully dedicate this issue of the Maple.

Mrs. Murphy retired in December after fourteen years of taking care of the secretarial duties for the Homemaking School. She was well-liked by all the girls, ready to help and comfort them at all times.

Her cheery smile and happy disposition are missed by everyone. We all wish her the very best in her retirement.

Photo at left: Mrs. Murphy receiving a gift of silver from the staff, being presented by Mr. Gallant and Mrs. Maude.

Mr. John Eastwood has been on the staff of Essex County Agricultural School for 39 years.

Mr. Eastwood is head of the dairy department at Essex. He teaches advanced dairy, animal husbandry, and field crops.

Mr. Eastwood is always willing to give guidance and advice, and assist the students in gaining much knowledge in the field of dairy industry.

We would like to thank him for being so patient in teaching us the necessary steps for a successful future. To Mr. Eastwood, we Proudly dedicate the 1961 MAPLE.





Mr. J. Gallant  
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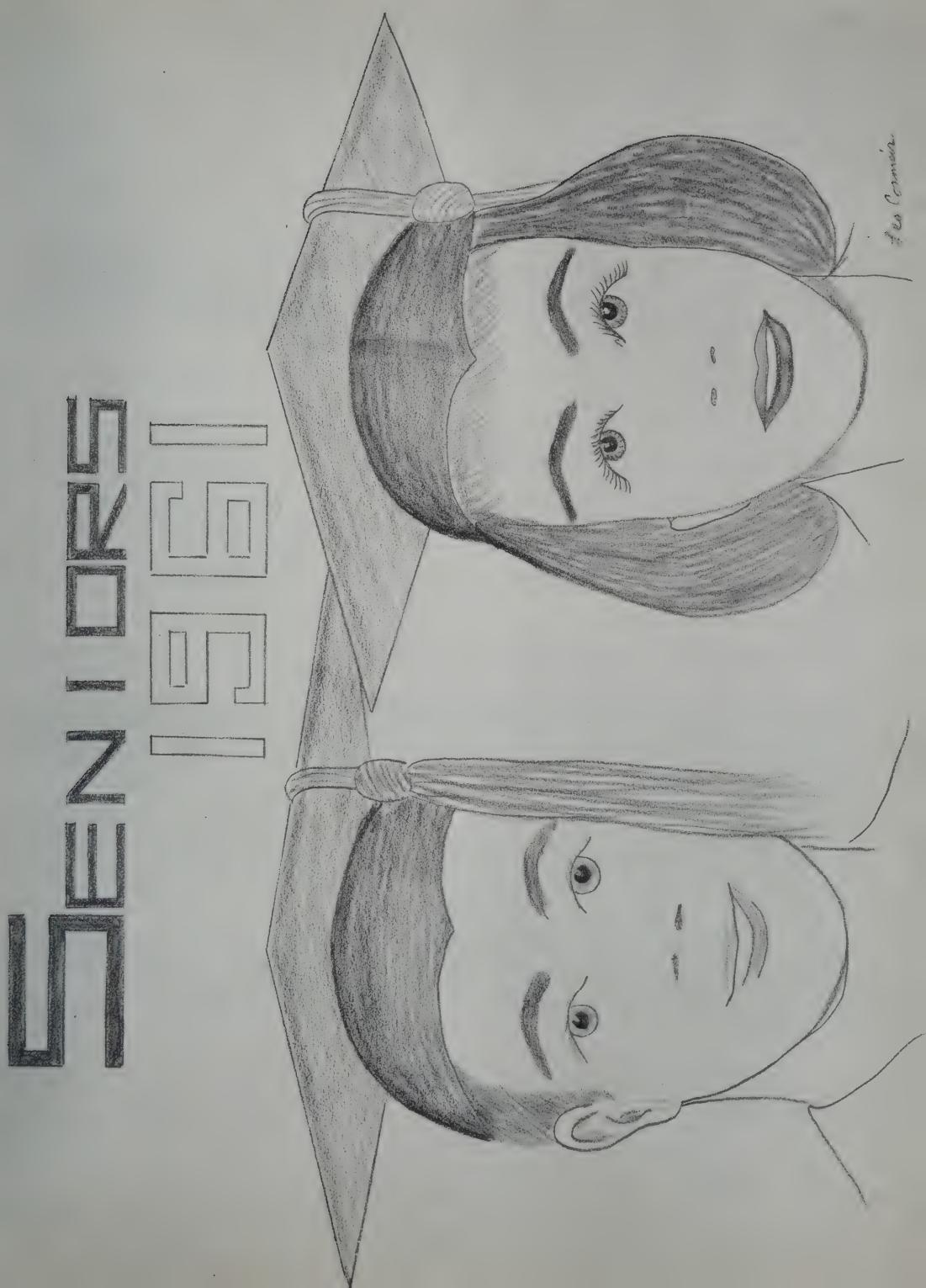


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Dave Townley  
Hopkins Street  
Wilmington, Mass.  
Major Course: Forestry  
Happiest at: Being in the woods.  
Intends to: Attend U. of M. and  
major in forestry.  
Activities: President of Senior  
Class, Chairman of Wild-  
life Club, Forestry Team,  
Sports coverage.

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**VICE PRESIDENT**  
Barbara 'Blondie' Sanborn  
Boston Street  
Middleton, Mass.  
Major Course: Clothing and  
foods.  
Happiest at: Skipping School  
Intends to: Work  
Activities: F. H. A. Historian,  
decorating comm. 1 Vice  
President Junior Class, de-  
corating and ticket comm.  
Banquet comm. basketball  
and baseball 1 and 3.



**SECRETARY**  
Shirley Ann Chatwood  
10 Alpine Court  
Gloucester, Mass.  
Major Course: Cosmetology  
Happiest at: Ice Skating, bowl-  
ing, basketball.  
Intends to: Make Professional  
Career, majoring in Cos-  
metology.  
Activities: Class Secretary 4,  
Maple Board, Christmas  
Comm. 3,4. Decorating  
Comm. 3,4.

**TREASURER**  
Steven 'Rosey' Rosenthal  
36 Fairview Terrace  
Malden, Mass.  
Major Course: Poultry  
Happiest at: Collecting Money  
Intends to: Be Rich  
Activities: Treas. Senior  
Class, pres. Chess Club 4,  
Vice Pres. Poultry Club.  
Poultry Judging 1,2,3.  
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4.

**ASSISTANT TREASURER**  
Raelene Herlihy  
1 Ocean Street  
Newburyport, Mass.  
Major Course: Cosmetology  
Happiest at: Roller Skating  
Intends to: Be Hairdresser,  
Marriage  
Activities: Class Officer 4, Ban-  
quet Comm. 4, Dance  
Comm. 3,4. Christmas De-  
corating Comm. 2,3.



Peter A. (Bergy) Bergendahl  
10 Forest Street  
Manchester, Mass.  
Major Course: Technical  
Floriculture  
Happiest at: Telling jokes  
Intends to: Manage a Retail  
Flower Shop.  
Activities: Maple Board Busi-  
ness Mgr. 4; Horticultural  
Club, Christmas Green  
Show, Rifle Club, F.F.A.  
Member, Science Fair.



Albert (Alby) Bleau  
56 Estes Street  
Lynn, Mass.  
Major Course: Animal Tech-  
nology  
Happiest at: Making Trouble  
Intends to: Attend Michigan  
State.  
Activities: Basketball 1,2,3,4,  
football 1,2, Student Coun-  
cil 2,3, Honor Society 1,2,  
3,4; Public Speaking 3,4,  
Track 1, Maple Board  
Livestock Judging 4, Es-  
sex Cattle Judging, Vice-  
President of F. F. A. 4.



Thomas (Batista) Braciska  
24 Washington Street  
Lawrence, Mass.  
Major Course: Farm Mechanics  
Happiest at: Loafing  
Intends to: Get a Job



Thomas Carrow  
33 Countess Street  
Haverhill, Mass.  
Major Course: Advance Dairy  
Happiest at: Taking Field  
Trips  
Intends to: Join The Air Force.



Leo Cormier  
59 Elm Street  
Lynn, Mass.  
Major Course: Advance Dairy  
Happiest at: Being Happy  
Intends to: Go to Stockbridge,  
Get a job in Milk Processing.  
Activities: F. F. A. member 1,  
2,3,4, Science Club 3,  
Exhibit 3,4, Conservation  
Club 1,2, Music 1, Maple  
(art comm.) 3,4. Secretary,  
Checker Club 4.



Lee C. Craig  
113 Bridge Street  
Beverly, Mass.  
Major Course: Plant Physiology  
Happiest at: Dancing and Parties  
Intends to: Go to College  
Activities: Honor Society 1,2,3,  
Maple Board 3,4, Treasurer  
F.F.A. 4, Vegetable  
Judging 2,3,4, Farm Mechanics 3, Basketball 3,4,  
Executive Comm., F.F.A.  
1,2,3,4, Veg. Club 2, Pres.  
3,4.



Dene Creighton  
16 Maverick Street  
Marblehead, Mass.  
Major Course: Hairdressing  
Happiest at: Swimming  
Intends to: Go To California  
Activities: Christmas Show --  
Make-Up.



Bruce Dearborn  
11 Walnut Street  
East Rochester, N. H.  
Major Course: Food Distribution.  
Happiest at: Playing Sports  
Intends to: Go To College.  
Activities: Basketball 1,2,3,4,  
Football 3,4, Veg. Club  
2,3, Pres. of Public Speaking  
Comm. Wildlife Club  
Vice Pres. 4.



Robert Dennis  
694 Main Street  
West Newbury, Mass.  
Major Course: Advance Dairy  
Happiest at: Working with  
Animals.  
Intends to: Be an Artificial  
Inseminator.  
Activities: Animal Husbandry  
Club, F. F. A.



David I. Dulong  
24 Union Street  
Andover, Mass.  
Major Course: Ornamental Gar-  
dening - Forestry.  
Happiest at: Making Snow At  
Boston Hill.  
Intends to: Complete Two Years  
of service then start own  
business.  
Activities: Football 1,2,3,4, J.  
V. basketball; Vice Pres.  
forst. cluband team. Pres.  
Fresh. Class 1.



Robert W. Flowers  
31 Boardman Street  
Salem, Mass.  
Major Course: Poultry  
Happiest at: Getting A's  
Intends to: Join The Service  
Activities: Maple Board 2,4,  
Track 1, Poultry Club 1,2,  
3, Checker Club 4, Poul-  
try Judging 1,2.



Dale (Fizzelbriches) Flynn  
17 Stocker Street  
Saugus, Mass.  
Major Course: Aboraculture  
Happiest at: Tree Climbing  
Intends to: Start own Tree Sur-  
gery Business  
Activities: F.F.A. 1,2,3,4, Bas-  
ketball 1, Football 1,2,3,4,  
Pres. Forestry Club 4,  
Homeroom Chairman 1,2,3.



Dennis Ford  
3 Willow Ave.  
Danvers, Mass.  
Major Course: Poultry  
Happiest At: Swimming  
Intends to: Become a poultry  
inspector.  
Activities: Secretary of Poul-  
try Club, Checker Club,  
Entertainment Comm.



Elaine M. Frechette  
229 Jefferson Ave.  
Salem, Mass.  
Major Course: Foods, Clothing.  
Happiest at: Roller skating  
Intends to: Go to hairdressing  
school.  
Activities: F. H. A. member



Peter G. Gibbon  
32 Laconia Ave.  
Saugus, Mass.  
Major course: Advanced Dairy  
Happiest at: Driving "60"  
Chevy's.  
Intends to: Go to college  
Activities: Glee Club, Cross  
country, Animal husbandry  
Club, Pres. Checker Club,  
Dairy cattle judging team.



Peter Gibney  
15 So. Liberty Street  
Danvers, Mass.  
Major course: Advance Dairy  
Happiest At: Being Absent  
Intends to: Work  
Activities: F.F.A. 1,2,3,4,  
Tractor Club, Basketball  
1,3, Vice Pres. Checker  
Club.



Nancy Hartung  
275 Oak Street  
Methuen Mass.  
Major course: Clothing, Foods.  
Happiest at: Work  
Intends to: Major in cosmet-  
ology.  
Activities: F.H.A. Pres. 3, F.  
H.A. State Pres. 4, F.H.A.  
National convention, Sr.  
Prom Comm., Maple.



Walter W. (Walt) Hohman  
21 Felton Street  
Saugus, Mass.  
Major course: Advanced Dairy  
Happiest at: Hunting  
Intends to: Become a milk in-  
spector.  
Activities: Audio Visual Aids,  
Football, Wildlife, Con-  
servation Club, Dairy cattle  
judging, Dairy products  
judging, F.F.A. Thrift  
comm., Farm Mechanics  
Judging 4, Prom Comm.



Herbert C. Huson  
22 Woodland Ct.  
Lawrence, Mass.  
Major course: Animal Husban-  
dry  
Happiest at: Arguing  
Intends to: Become a Veteri-  
narian  
Activities: F. F. A. Sentinel,  
Dairy Products Judging,  
Maple, Science Club Pres.,  
Checker Club, Public  
Speaking, Animal husban-  
dry club.



Ernest F. Daniels  
Highland Road  
Middleton, Mass.  
Major Course: Poultry  
Happiest at: Work and Skating  
Intends to: Work in a grocery  
store.  
Activities: Maple Board, F.F.A.,  
Checker club, Chairman of  
Entertainment Committee,  
F.F.A. Refreshment Con-  
cession, F.F.A. Decorating  
committee.



Timothy R. Jennings  
55 Cabot Road  
Danvers, Mass.  
Major course: Animal husbandry.  
Happiest at: Being with girls.  
Intends to: Be a gentleman farmer.  
Activities: Checker club, Maple, B.C.A.S. Track, flower show, F.F.A. member, Attended Bristol Aggie, 1,2,3.



Peter R. Jones  
Gardiner Street  
Hamilton, Mass.  
Major course: Animal husbandry.  
Happiest at: Liz's  
Intends to: Go to college.  
Activities: Football, Basketball, Honor Society, Maple, Wildlife Conservation Club.



Walter V. Kelly Jr.  
39 Staaf Road  
Saugus, Mass.  
Major course: Advanced dairy  
Happiest at: Anything  
Intends to: Be an educated bum.  
Activities: Projection club, Dairy products judging, Tractor club, Science club, Editor of Maple.



Richard Kelley  
163 Linden Street  
Malden, Mass.  
Major Course: Forestry  
Happiest At: Anything  
Intends To: To Go To College



Arlene King  
4 Sutherland St.  
Andover, Mass.  
Major course: Foods and  
clothing.  
Happiest at: Swimming  
Intends to: Continue school  
Activities: F.H.A. Program  
comm.



Lorene M. Lambert  
Bear Hill Road  
Merrimac, Mass.  
Major course: Tech. Flori-  
culture  
Happiest at: Riding horses  
Intends to: Be a Floral de-  
signer.  
Activities: Maple, Glee Club,  
Wildlife and conservation  
club, Christmas Greens  
Show.



Estelle Levesque  
8 Willow Ave.  
Salem, Mass.  
Major course: Clothing  
Happiest at: Tennis  
Intends to: Take course in cos-  
metology.  
Activities: Dance comm. 3,4,  
Cheerleader, F.H.A. Pro-  
gram comm., F.H.A. mem-  
ber.



Diane Levesque  
14 Moulton Street  
Lynn, Mass.  
Major course: Cosmetology  
Happiest at: Talking  
Intends to: Be a hair dresser.  
Activities: Christmas comm.  
3,4, Dance comm. 3,4, De-  
corating.



Paul (Mac) MacAdams  
39 Richard Circle  
Woburn, Mass.

Major Course: Advance Dairy  
Happiest At: Dating Sherry  
Intends to: Own or Manage a  
Milk Plant.  
Activities: Pres. Animal Hus-  
bandry Club, Home Room  
Representative, Science  
Show 2,3,4. Comm. 2.



Douglas A. MacDonald  
504 Whipple Road  
Tewksbury, Mass.  
Major Course: Technical  
Floriculture  
Happiest At: Horseback Rid-  
ing.  
Intends To: Own His Own  
Greenhouse.



Richard J. MacKenzie  
22 Short Street  
Reading, Mass.

Major Course: Floriculture  
Happiest At: Making Floral  
arrangements.  
Intends To: Go To U. of M.  
Activities: First Place Winner  
Of The Greens Show.  
Plant Judging Class



Roland 'Marty' Martin  
379 Pelham Street  
Methuen, Mass.

Major Course: Advance Dairy  
Happiest At: Skiing  
Intends To: Be A Ski Instructor  
Activities: J.V. Football, Co-  
Capt. Tractor Club, Wild  
Life Club, Vice Pres.  
Chess Club, F. F. A. 1,2,  
3,4. Track Team.



Robert McCarron  
8 Hillcrest Road  
Danvers, Mass.  
Major Course: Floriculture  
Happiest At: Water Skiing, and  
Looking AT Girls.  
Intends To: Own His Own De-  
sign Shop.  
Activities: Fruit Club 1,2,3,  
Fruit Judging 2,3, Hort.  
Club 3,4, Floriculture  
Show 2,3,4, Senior Dance  
4, Glee Club 3,4.



Elizabeth Ann Morris  
(Big Betty)  
113 Prospect Street  
Newburyport, Mass.  
Major Course: Foods and  
Clothing.  
Happiest At: Square Dancing  
Intends To: Attend College,  
Marriage  
Activities: State F.H.A. Officer  
1,2, F.H.A. Member 1,2,3,  
Maple 3, Banquet Comm. 3.



Neal Mitchell  
25 Rockaway Court  
Lynn, Mass.  
Major Course: Distributive  
Education  
Happiest At: Sports  
Intends To: Return To Aggie For  
Distributive Education  
Course.  
Activities: Football 1,2,3, Bas-  
ketball 1,2,3, Forestry  
Club.



Mary Ann Newhall  
174 Lynnfield Street  
Peabody, Mass.  
Major Course: Foods and  
Clothing.  
Happiest At: Skating and Danc-  
ing.  
Intends To: Work



Charles Newhook  
408 Central Street  
Saugus, Mass.  
Major Course: Forestry  
Happiest At: 'Just About Anything'  
Intends To: Go To College  
Activities: Varsity Football 1,2,  
3,4, Horticulture Club 2,3,  
Forestry Club 4, National  
Band 2,4.



Philip O'Connor  
39 Rock Avenue  
Lynn, Mass.  
Major Course: Forestry  
Happiest At: All Sports  
Intends To: Further Education  
In Forestry.  
Activities: Pres. Of The Class  
3, Student Council, Honor  
Society, Forestry club,  
Pres. 3, Varsity Football,  
Capt. Of Basketball 3,  
Dance Comm.



Richard Olsen  
25 Henry Avenue  
Melrose, Mass.  
Major Course: Advance  
Horticulture  
Happiest At: Landscaping  
Intends To: Do Landscaping  
Activities: F.F.A., Hockey  
Team, Forestry Club, Sec-  
retary 2,3, Christmas  
Green Show.



David Otis  
78 Maple Street  
West Newbury, Mass.  
Major Course: Ornamental  
Hort.  
Happiest At: Sports  
Intends To: Go To Stokbridge  
Activities: Hockey Team,  
Forestry Club.



Joan M. O'Neill  
7 Emerson Road  
North Reading, Mass.  
Major Course: Animal  
Husbandry  
Happiest At: Farming  
Intends To: Be a Vet.  
Activities: Honor Society 1,2,3,  
4, Science Club 1, Wild  
Life Club 3, Glee Club 3,  
Rifle Club and Team 2,  
Vice-Pres. F.F.A. 3,  
Pres. 4.



John (Perky) Perkins  
131 Garfield Avenue  
Lynn, Mass.  
Major Course: Advance Dairy  
Happiest At: When In Peabody  
Intends To: Go To College  
Activities: Sec. Of Entertainment Comm., Dairy Products Judging 4, Tractor Club 1,2,3,4, Football 1,4, Basketball 1,3, Homeroom Rep. 3., F.F.A. 1,2,3,4.



Richard Paul Pilote  
53 Henry Avenue  
Lynn, Mass.  
Major Course: Advance Dairy  
Happiest At: Driving  
Intends To: Go To College  
Activities: F.F.A. 1,2,3,4,  
Tractor Club, Vice-Pres.  
Of The Rifle Club.



Lawrence Pridden  
40 South Main Street  
Topsfield, Mass.  
Major Course: Plant Physiology.  
Happiest At: Most Anything  
Intends To: Join The Air Force.



Frank Quinn  
760 Hale Street  
Beverly Farms, Mass.  
Major Course: Entomology  
Happiest At: Avoiding Girls  
Intends To: Attend Cornell  
Activities: Student Council 4,  
National Honor Society 3,4,  
Forestry Club 3, Fruit  
Club 3, Sect. 4, Varsity  
Hockey 3,4.



Carol Rand  
19 Market Square  
Lynn, Mass.  
Major Course: Food and  
Clothing.  
Happiest At: Dancing  
Intends To: Be A Hairdresser  
Activities: Dance Comm. 2,  
Cheerleader 3, Prom  
Comm., Maple Board 3,  
F.H.A. 2,3, Parliamentarian  
F.H.A. 2.



Cynthia Ann Ross  
50 Buxton Road  
Danvers, Mass.  
Major Course: Clothing, House  
Decoration  
Happiest At: All Sports.  
Intends To: Attend Tailoring  
School.  
Activities: F.H.A. Program  
Comm.



Nick Ricci  
95 Haverhill Street  
Andover, Mass.  
Major Course: Forestry  
Happiest At: Riding Motor-  
cycles  
Intends To: Join The Navy.  
Activities: Football 2,3,4,  
Weight Lifting Club 4,  
Forestry Club, Wild Life  
Club, Basketball 2, Hockey  
2,3, F.F.A. 2,3,4.



Edward Sheehan  
88 Belmont Street  
Malden, Mass.  
Major Course: Forestry  
Happiest At: Playing Hockey  
Intends To: Go To College



William S. Shinn  
Whittier Road  
Marblehead, Mass.  
Major Course: Poultry  
Happiest At: Sports  
Intends To: Further Education  
Activities: Football 4, Basketball 2,3,4, Wildlife Club.



Ed Shinn  
Whittier Road  
Marblehead, Mass.  
Major Course: Animal Husbandry.  
Happiest At: Being Around Horses.  
Intends To: Go Into Father's Business.  
Activities: Tractor Club, Forestry Club, Weight Lifting Club, F.F.A. Member.



Gerald (Jerry) Soucy  
265 Euclid Avenue  
Lynn, Mass.  
Major Course: Advance Dairy  
Happiest At: Working With Cows.  
Intends To: Work In Dairy Lab.  
Activities: Wild Life Club 1, Maple Board 4.



Roger Soucy  
2 Hood Terrace  
Danvers, Mass.  
Major Course: Floriculture  
Happiest At: Designing  
Intends To: Open a Florist  
Shop.  
Activities: Maple Board 4, Wild  
Life Club, Christmas  
Greens Show 2,3,4, Dance  
Comm. 3,4.



Frank Staples  
16 Hancock Street  
Salem, Mass.  
Major Course: Advance Dairy  
Happiest At: Being In New York  
Intends To: Own a Dairy Farm  
Activities: F. F. A.



Caroline Tellson  
15 Beckford Street  
Salem, Mass.  
Major Course: Food And  
Clothing.  
Happiest At: Swimming and  
Skating.  
Intends To: Get Married.



John Tremblay  
97 Congress Street  
Salem, Mass.  
Major Course: Ornamental  
Hort.  
Happiest At: Most Anything.  
Intends To: Go To Alaska  
Activities: Checker Club



Robert R. Walsh  
60 Michigan Avenue  
Lynn, Mass.  
Major Course: Dairy Technology.  
Happiest At: Equines  
Intends To: Attend Michigan State Veterinary School  
Activities: Honor Society, Meat Judging Team, Basketball, Wild Life Club, F. F. A.



Elizabeth Ann Walters  
(Little Betty)  
Essex Street  
Middleton, Mass.  
Major Course: Foods and Clothing.  
Happiest At: Skating and Swimming.  
Intends To: Cosmetology  
Activities: Maple Board, F.H. A., Dance Comm. 2.



Frank Warner  
817 Boston Street  
Lynn, Mass.  
Major Course: Plant Physiology.  
Happiest At: Dancing and Clowning.  
Intends To: Attend U. of M.  
Activities: Veg. Judging Team, National Veg. Judging Contest, National Honor Society, Science Fair 3,4, Maple Board 4, Basketball 4.



Richard Watts  
33 Lumo Road  
Medford, Mass.  
Major Course: Dairy  
Happiest At: Wasting Time  
Intends To: Be An Oilman.



Tim White  
High Street  
Ipswich, Mass.  
Major Course: Advance Dairy  
Happiest At: Winning a Football Game.  
Intends To: Go To Stockbridge.  
Activities: Football 2,3,4, Basketball 4, Tractor Club 2, 3,4, Dairy Products Judging 4.



James Wood  
124 Foster Street  
Lawrence, Mass.  
Major Course: Animal Husbandry.  
Happiest At: Sleeping  
Intends To: Be A Sleeping Bum  
Activities: Football, F.F.A.



Robert Garrant  
165 Linden Street  
Malden, 48 Mass.  
Major Course: Forestry  
Happiest At: Sports  
Intends To: Help Uncle Sam



Robert G. Bent  
119 High Street  
Malden, Mass.  
Major Course: Ornamental Hort.  
Happiest At: Having A Ball.  
Intends To: Attend U. Of M.



William Brown  
15 Harting Street  
Andover, Mass.  
Major Course: Distributive  
Education.  
Happiest At: Customizing cars  
Intends To: Work in a garage  
Activities: F.F.A., Maple,  
Dance committee.



SENIOR CLASS ADVISORS  
Mr. Saulding; Miss Reed; Mrs. DuGuay; Mr. Perley

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Ellery E. Metcalf  
Mr. & Mrs. Orlando Newhall  
The Hartungs  
Lee Merrit Sanford  
Mr. & Mrs. Axel D. Olsen  
Mr. & Mrs. Phillip Comeau  
Mr. John J. Medwid  
Pete Bergendahl  
Laurel Grange  
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Stirling Jr.  
F. Quinn  
Mr. & Mrs. John Leary  
William Stirling  
Mr. & Mrs. Charles Newhook  
Mr. & Mrs. Walter Flowers  
Mary M. Bough  
Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Robinson  
Mr. & Mrs. William Lesiczka  
Dr. V. P. LaBranche  
Era M. LaFlamme  
Mrs. Midred Jean  
Mrs. William Steen  
Mr. & Mrs. Roland Martin  
Mrs. James Johonnett  
Mr. Robert Kaplan  
Melvin Drew  
Cynthia & John  
Miss Mary Herlihey  
Mrs. Wallace Mudge  
Mr. & Mrs. B. W. Foss  
Mr. & Mrs. Manuel Mitchell  
Mr. & Mrs. John Borge  
Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Mitchell  
Daniel J. Herlihy  
Mrs. Blanche Herlihy  
Warren Crocker  
Mr. & Mrs. T. R. Bertheim  
Mr. & Mrs. John Petanik  
Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Connelly  
Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Headley  
Mr. & Mrs. John Tilton  
Mr. & Mrs. Frederick Gilbert  
Mr. & Mrs. Ossie Anderson  
Mr. & Mrs. Verne Hardenbrook  
Dr. & Mrs. J. P. Mahoney  
Bruce "Moose" Dearborn  
Robert Dennis  
Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Ford  
Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Levesque  
Anita Blanchard  
Mr. & Mrs. Ted LaBrasseur  
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Robinson  
Helen Crocker  
Mr. & Mrs. Merton Bourne  
Rolley Gallant  
Elizabeth Loeb  
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Powell  
Mr. & Mrs. Phillip O'Conner  
Mr. & Mrs. Max Grohman  
Steven Downey  
Mr. W. H. Deacon Jr.  
John Spencer  
Virginia C. Smith F.H.A.  
Mr. & Mrs. C. Grigoreas  
Mr. James Healy  
Mr. & Mrs. James Sullivan  
South End Launderette  
C & D Oil Co.  
Rubino's Store  
Silvia's Pharmacy

# SENIOR MOST

Nancy Hartung	Most Popular	Dave Townley
Diane Levesque	Best Looking	Phil O'Connor
Cynthia Ross	Best Dancer	Frank Warner
Shirley Chatwood	Most Natural	Dale Flynn
Estelle Levesque	Heartbreaker	Paul MacAdams
Emily Stiles	Neatest	Lee Craig
Betty Janvrin	Most Bashful	Nick Ricci
Cynthia Ross	Peppiest	Bruce Dearborn
Barbara Sanborn	Class Comedian	Neal Mitchell
Nancy Hartung	Done Most For Class	Steve Rosenthal
Dene Creighton	Best NATURED	Ed Shinn
Diane Levesque	Biggest Appetite	Richard Pilotte
Deborah Mudge	Most Likely To Succeed	Walter Hohmann
Caroline Tilson	Class Artist	Leo Cormier
Betty Morris	Best Student	Frank Quinn
Betty Walters	Youngest In Class	Roland Martin
Estelle Leveque	Noisiest	Bob Flowers
Maryann Newhall	Most Serious	Peter Gibbon
Carol Rand	Most Flirtatious	Bill Shinn
Elaine Frechets	Most Courteous	Joan O'Neill
Shirley Chatwood	Man and Women Hater	Bob Walsh
Caroline Tilson	Class Actor and Actress	Charlie Newhook
Arlene King	Teacher's Pet	Tim White
Emily Stiles	Most Argumentative	Al Bleau



## Senior Flashbacks



## GIRL'S CLASS WILL

Being of sound mind and body, we, the members of the class of 1961, leave the following as our last will and testament:

Carol Rand kindly leaves her hairnets to Mr. Potter.

Annette Waller receives Nancy Hartung's ability to chat constantly.

The swivel hips of Raelene Herlihey are left to Joyce Stevens.

Mary Newhall bequeaths her extreme loquaciousness to Jean Jaffarian.

All of Diane Levesque's car troubles go to any underclassmen who drive to school.

Elaine Frechette gives the back seat of the bus to Marcia Thomas.

For Marie Frasca's collection, Debbie Mudge donates her late slips.

Estelle Levesque leaves to Norma Spring her blushing bashfulness, and hopes she will use it in the right places.

Barbara Sanborn and Emily Stiles have collectively left their corny jokes, beautiful smiles, and ability to get along with the teachers to Janet Paradise.

Betty Janvrin leaves her bushy eyebrows to any underclassman who needs them.

The privilege of riding in Miss Reid's sports car is given by Arlene King to Charlene Burbine.

Betty Walters leaves her petite figure to any girl or girls on a reducing diet.

Sandra Winchester receives Cynthia Ross' way with the boys.

To Marie Odette, Dene Creighton leaves her mascara and fluttering eyes.

Shirley Chatwood leaves all her extra brains and hard work to Andrea Taylor.

Her bad temper, Caroline Tillson kindly bestowes on Jackie Marchand.

Hoping they will get along with the driver, Betty Morris thoughtfully leaves her seat on the Ramsey Bus.

In witness whereof, we the senior class of 1961, of the Essex County Homemaking School have set our hand and seal to this will.

# GIRLS' CLASS PROPHECY

It certainly doesn't seem possible that twenty years had passed since I graduated from Essex County Homemaking School. Here it was, June, 1981 and I had been chosen along with one other person to take a survey of the dietary work of the various hospitals in this area. This survey was to include the Schools specializing in home economics. When chosen for the project, I naturally hoped it would mean visiting my Alma Mater. It had been years since I had been able to go to Hathorne, due to my heavy duties as head dietician at the local hospital in Newburyport.

When the day arrived for me to meet my co-worker, I was pleasantly surprised to see Mrs. Peter Farnum whom I immediately recognized as one of my fellow classmates, Barbara Sanborn. Of course we began to reminisce about our school days and to talk about our lives since we left each other on graduation day. Barbara has successfully combined marriage and a career. She manages the dietary work at the Lawrence General Hospital as well as a beautiful home in Middleton.

On our way to our first stop, which was the Bon Secour Hospital, we had a marvelous opportunity to discuss some of our other classmates. To my surprise, I learned that Emily Stiles is the candidate for congress from Essex County. Betty Janvrin, who is also active in politics, has been installed as National President of the Womans Club.

During our chat, I realized that Barbara has done a better job of keeping in touch with our classmates than I. She told me that Betty Walters, better known as "Little Betty" was an understudy for Marilyn Monroe in a Hollywood production. Speaking of Hollywood, that reminds me of Arlene King, who is John Robert Powers most popular model. I saw her picture in the paper just the other day. Nancy Hartung is, of course, America's leading "Lonely Hearts" columnist. Our classmate, Shirley Chatwood is an author of mystery stories of the "Ellery Queen" type.

At the hospital we were taken on a tour of the facilities. Going through the outpatient Department, I recognized the lady being escorted out, Estelle Levesque. I went over and shook her hand and spoke to her, but she didn't answer me. The nurse informed me that she had a serious case of laryngitis. Her profession was speaking - Public Speaking. She always was a great talker.

After the hospital tour, we went downtown for lunch. Before going into the restaurant we ran into Elaine Frechette who was shopping for material. Elaine has a very successful custom dressmaking business in Salem. We invited her to join us for lunch but she declined due to another appointment she had. However, we did have an opportunity to chat for a few minutes. She said Mary Newhall and Deborah Mudge own their own beauty and reducing salon. The salon was just around the corner, so we went over and visited them. We were rather amused to find out that Cynthia Ross a well-known comedian at a near by play-house. Carol Rand is happy and contented working as a hairdresser for her mortician husband. Carolyn Tillson is a housewife with four children living in Florida where her husband is in charge of an alligator farm. Debbie also told us, that she often sees Diane Levesque and Dene Creighton at meetings for cosmetologists. They own the "Diane and Dene" Shoppe on Newbury Street in Boston.

Ralene Herelihy has become a rich and successful business woman since she developed a new hair tint. It has made Ralene well over a million dollars.

In no time at all it was three o'clock and we had to leave. We drove to Barbara's home where we greeted her five active and healthy children.

While driving back to Newburyport, I thought of my eventful day. How wonderful it was to see so many of my classmates and to hear of the others. However; I was glad to be home with my husband, Bill McPhee and three children.

Elizabeth Morris

# BOYS' CLASS WILL

We, the CLASS OF 1961, believing that we are of sound mind and body do hereby leave the following advice to our beloved underclassmen:

"In promulgating your esoteric cogitations or articulating your superficial sentimentalities and amicable or philosophical observations, beware of the platitudinous ponderosity. Eschew all conglomerations of flatulent garrulity and intelligibility and veracity without bombast."

We, in further testimony, do hereby bequeath the following gifts that we feel will both improve and add to your physical as well as mental capabilities.

To Charlie Grigoreas of the Junior class, Eddie Backhoff is leaving his calm, cool, and collected ways.

Robert Bent wishes to leave Mr. Goodno with his ability to saw down trees.

Albert Bleau says "I leave everything I have, which is nothing, to Lloyd Campbell."

From Tom Braciska, we find that Francis Graham is left with an ability for getting into trouble.

Ralph Cahalane bequeaths his ability to "customize" cars to Mr. Bennett.

Mark Wettengil is left with Tom Carrow's Ability to stay out of trouble.

Leo Cormier leaves his black and white stripes to the boys at the Sanford House.

Lee Craig wishes to leave a book entitled, "Know Your Vegetables", to Steve Pretanik.

A killing knife at the poultry plant is left to Bert Cole by Ernie Daniels.

Bruce Dearborn wishes to leave the sneakers he uses to rob the cradle to the most deserving underclassmen.

A Mercury engine for use on route 95 is left by Bob Dennis to Billy Carrow.

Dave Dulong bequeaths his football talents to Howie Grohman.

Bob Flowers wishes to leave his swim suit to Pat Murphy. Take good care of it Pat!

To Peter Wormstead, Dale Flynn wishes to leave his ability to knock down telephone wires while on tree jobs, and also for some certain reasons hopes he will not accept it.

Dennis Ford wishes to leave for Mr. Powell some long awaited peace and quiet.

Charlie Burns is the lucky recipient of a dirty towel left by Robert Garrant.

Pete Gibbon leaves his cattle judging ability to Mark Wettengil.

To any courageous student, an invitation for a drag-is left by Pete Gibney.

Walt Hohmann leaves his ability to operate the assembly hall projector to anyone who thinks it's an easy job.

Dick Perron is left with Herb Huson's ability to eat without putting on weight.

To a certain Mr. Sweder goes a Bristol F. F. A. jacket left by Tim Jennings.

Peter Jones wishes to leave Mr. Potter a slightly used wrist cast.

To any student interested in hockey, Richard Kelley is going to leave his alarm clock.

Walt Kelley leaves all his school ways to two deserving boys, Walt Lunt and Bob Stirling.

# BOYS' CLASS WILL

Miss Lorene Lambert wishes to leave to the present & future girls attending Essex Aggie her hopes for a very successful future in agriculture.

Bob White is left with Paul MacAdams' talent for winning and losing five dollar bets.

Douglas MacDonald is leaving all the horse manure he has collected during the past three years to Mr. Muldoon.

John Filfalt is blessed with Dick MacKenzie's designing knowledge.

Roland Martin is leaving behind his cross country shoes to the freshman Muncoll.

Mr. Spaulding is presented with a book entitled "How To Hum" from Bob McCarron.

Neal Mitchell is leaving Bob Buchanan with his bad lung so he can play better football.

To some underclassman who gets tired of school Charlie Newhook leaves his ability to be absent.

Phil O'Conner is leaving his football and basketball uniforms to Ray Bessom along with his Ford.

Dick Olsen is leaving his extra weight to Dave Mullens.

Miss Joan O'Neill is leaving her brown nose to Florence Headley. She already knows how to use it.

Mr. Spaulding is left another book. This one is entitled "Masters of Deceit" by Dave Otis.

John Perkins wishes to bequeath his ability for tantrums to Orren Page.

Terry Livingston is handed down the ability to drop second gear by Dick Pilote.

To Vern Hardenbrook of the Junior class is left Larry Pridden's talent for vegetable judging.

Frank Quinn is going to leave behind a pair of field hockey pads for next years goalie. Have fun son.

Nick Ricci bequeaths his rugged, physical appearance to Nick Halford.

To Frank Puleo, Steve Rosenthal is leaving his long hair, sunglasses, and green shaggy sweater. Be cool man. Be beat.

Eddie Sheehan declares that he is leaving on April 1, 1961.

Mr. Ed Shinn wishes to hand down his towering height to Downey.

Sal Frasca is the lucky recipient of Bill Shinn's Gym sneakers.

To Joseph McCarthy, an ability to get along with Stanley Pikul is left by Gerry Soucy.

Roger Soucy is kind enough to leave Mr. Muldoon with his Growing ability.

John Tremblay wishes to bestow to Mr. Spaulding a set of duel carburetors so he will not be late arriving home from school.

Bob Buchannan is left the ability to get all twisted up playing football by Dave Townley.

Bob Walsh cares to bestow to his brother Dick, a copy of Sisson's Anatomy. However, we wonder if Dick can handle it.

Frank Warner leaves behind one of his prize possessions; it's a reserve seat at the "Old Howard".

Dick Watts wishes to leave his cafeteria lunches to anyone who is in a hungry mood.

Do we have a teacher's pet? Maybe, for Tim White is leaving the ability he has for getting along so well with Mr. Powell, to Jerry Kelley.

Dick Perron is presented with an oil burner which is so graciously left by James Wood.

Bill Brown leaves his talents for customizing cars to Terry Livingston.

From Pete Bergendahl, Pete Heany is left the ability to find excuses for being tardy.

We, the Seniors of Essex Aggie, leave to the students that follow us the hopes of happiness which we have had in Essex and, for the future, hopes that whatever you do you will never forget us, or the Aggie.

# BOYS' CLASS PROPHECY

Since I have passed away, I can look down at all the people I have known during my life on earth. This is something I have longed to do. I think I'll take a peek at all the kids I graduated with from Essex Aggie in 1961.

Wow, you couldn't beat that with a stick. Walt Hohmann is the owner of a very profitable milk plant, and Tim White and his five children work for him.

I see that Bob Dennis has his own farm in Massachusetts; he calls it Vermont Acres, just for memories sake. Bob spends most of his time down the road a piece at Mr. Walsh's fabulous new race track.

There's a marriage going on at that quaint little church. Well, look at that, it's Lorene Lambert and she's getting married to Leo (Tiger) Cormier. Let's see if I know anyone else who is floating around down there. That's Bob Flowers and he's coming out of the kitchen with his masterpiece, a cake.

Who is that in front of the church? Oh! It's Dick MacKenzie peddling artificial flowers.

I see that both of the Shinns, William and Ed, have a dog pound full of Mexican Chihuahuas. They call their place the "Tall and Taller" Kennels.

Looks like Joan O'Neill is at it again. She is running against Al Bleau for National President of the F. F. A. Mr. Dave Townley is campaigning for Joan as usual. Lee Craig, Herb Huson and Frank Warner are living like kings down there. They're partners in the largest bowling establishment and Liquor Lounge in New England.

Hmmmm!!! . . . . I see Nick Ricci is a motorcycle cop and he has just stopped Neal Mitchell for speeding. Tsk! Tsk!

Toward the West Coast, I see Tom Carrow's orange grove, and Dennis Ford and Pete Gibney are picking and packing the fruit.

That sign looks familiar, Five Fingers Auto Service, Dick Pilotte and Frank Staples, proprietors.

Speaking of Autos, that reminds me of John Tremblay's motor scooter business that folded up. He sold out to Bill Brown who is going to make an Auto Body shop.

Dave Dulong and Dale Flynn had a construction outfit, and they hired boys from the Aggie; that's probably why it folded up. Richard Olsen was their foreman and is now seeking employment at Bob McCarron's run down pansy house.

I see Phil O'Connor is running a matrimony agency. I can still remember how Phil used to slay the girls.

Walt Kelley and Pete Bergendahl are still trying to finish up the finances on our "1961" yearbook. They have been at it for 15 years.

Tom Braciska achieved his goal; he's dean of the classy Ubangy Tech.; and Charlie (Who needs school) Newhook heads the board of Trustees.

Roger and Gerald Soucy have gone into the classic comic book business. They call their corporation "Soucy and Soucy".

Pete Gibbon and Paul MacAdams have gone into farming together and what do you think they call their farm? You guessed it, Sherry Acres.

Steve Rosenthal owns a liquor store, and what a set up. Bruce (Moose) Dearborn stays outside and lets the people sample their products. When they get inebriated, Bruce sends them inside and Ralph Cahalane sells them the merchandise for a slightly tremendous profit.

Ernie Daniels is now Educational Manager of the Aggie, and Mr. White has moved up to director. Mr. Gallant has retired and become a member of the board of Trustees. Mr. White is having a little trouble with Mr. Tim Jennings who is the director of Bristol Aggie.

I see that they have built a new shopping center. Roland Martin owns a sporting goods store featuring skiing equipment, and Dick Watts owns a speed track at which he wins all the prizes.

The only thing wrong with the shopping center is that a stubborn farmer by the name of James Wood would not sell his farm. It's the only farm that 10,000 people daily go around to get to a 10¢ store.

Well, I guess I'll be getting back to my favorite job of sleeping. I can honestly say it has been a real pleasure seeing and hearing about my old classmates from the great class of "61".

Respectfully yours,

John Perkins



UNIVERSITY  
GRADUATES

Leo Cormier



# JUNIOR CLASS

Front row, L. to R.: G. Grant; B. Pelletier; R. Andresen; M. Wettengil; B. Buchanan, R. Perron; P. Murphy; C. CHIMIEL; B. Levesque; R. Peters. Second row: B. Carroll; R. Besson; S. Fliisman; J. Healey; F. Graham; W. Lappas; W. Lunt; H. Bowden; H. Walden. Third row: R. Beauvais; P. Lebedanik; L. Campbell; S. Prentik; K. Hughes; J. Halford; J. Gilday; C. Grigoreas. Fourth row: P. McNaughton; B. Cole; F. POTTRAS; R. Nihon; R. Lisk; T. Livingston; P. Johnston; G. Kelley. Fifth row: O. Page; G. Frifait; V. Hardenbrook; P. Sweeney; R. Tilton; R. Churchill; R. Lee; D. McDowell. Sixth row: J. Cahill; H. Giddley; R. Plegge; T. Jarvis; T. Nowell.





#### Cosmetology

Front row: P. Slager; C. Santangelo; S. Perkins; P. Brewer; Mrs. I. Duguay; Mrs. D. Mambro; P. Paguin; L. Lombardo; J. Michaud. Middle row: Mrs. P. Ryan; B. Foss; D. Reeves; M. Photiou; L. Penttila; N. Genest; A. Deyermond; H. Sadowski; K. Bartnicki; J. Bulger; J. Samoisette; T. Flynn. Back row: D. Washington; J. Bishop; L. Mitchell; P. Peabody; J. McGray; G. Conway; V. Bartley; P. Lynch; C. Caudreau; D. Hume; M. Drislane; E. Trombley; C. Manning.



#### Executive Committee

Front row: P. MacAdams; B. Levesque; L. Pridden; J. O'Neill; L. Craig; L. Campbell; H. Huson. Second row: Mr. Metcalf (Advisor); J. Spencer; W. Pelletier; R. Wyle; J. Cooper. Third row: R. Olsen; R. Buchanan; K. Silvey; P. Saunders; F. Warner.



Junior F.H.A. Committee Board

Front row, L. to R. Sheryl Lurvy, Rae Roaf, Jean Jeffarian, Susan Williams, Paulett Landry, Kathleen Leary. Second row, Sancta Winchester, Norma Spring, Marie Frasca, Carolann Johnnett, Marie Odett, Janet Skelly, Marcia Thomas.



Freshman Class

Front row, L. to R. Judy Lawton, Charlene Davis, Joyce Stevens, Susan Nelson, Nancy Robishaw, Elizabeth Steen, Anita Waller. Second row, Janet Collins, Susan Packer, Jacqueline Marchand, Charlene Burbine, Judith Batchelder, Elaine Marcoux. Third row, Nancy Fields, Linder Jacquith, Sally Earabino, Juanite Earl, Sharon Robinson, Joan Sullivan.

## SOPHOMORES

Front row: T. Reynolds; J. Sanlin; P. Walker; D. Jackman; S. Jackman; F. Headley; M. Mahoney; F. Milletello; S. Frasca; S. Downey. Second row: R. Conant; M. Cleary; S. Kalishman; R. Longo; R. Levert; R. Stirling; R. Gallant; R. Murray; A. LaBrassour; R. Hutchinson; J. Sample; J. McCarthy. Third row: C. Hogan; S. Bergendahl; N. Forbes; F. Sworobowicz; F. Trecartin; C. Widkelt; H. Nelson; C. Bourne; J. Spencer; S. Sweder. Fourth row: W. Gagnon; A. Crutcher; P. Ciabba; W. Davis; J. Mighill; W. Kedie; R. Marshall; R. Gauthier; Mulkern; H. Grohman; Tora; F. Olms; P. Heaney. Fifth row: W. Ruddy; J. Lewis; T. DiNocco; E. Odeens; P. Wormstead; S. Trombly; E. Smith; F. Stafford; R. Cove; R. Oates; J. Pelich. Sixth row: R. White; K. Starett; P. Ackroyd; J. Timmons; R. Banks; J. DeFusco; K. Vatcher.



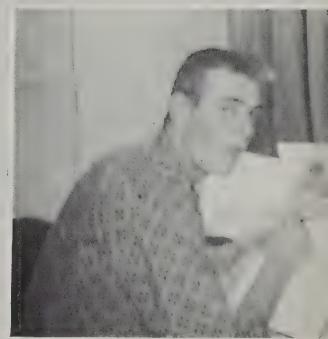


## FRESHMAN CLASS

First row: L. Murphy; W. Gresch; Nodstron; Darisse; Barker; Pothier; Lanier; Hunt; Lambert; Provencier. Second row: Calef; J. Kelley; Bertheim; Coffey; Stratos; Puleo; Mikulis; Crocker; Teeling; Morrissey; W. Orcutt. Third row: Ward; D. Zuzel; Cooper; Schehorn; Melvin; A. Wilson; Berry; B. O'Loughlin; R. Wile; Sanford; Phillips. Fourth row: Roinson; Sullivan; MacDonald; Medwid; Valentine; Walsh; Linderman; Hartung; Fay. Fifth row: B. Smith; H. White; Silvey; H. Feeney; D. Smith; R. David; Cuscuna; Waye; LaBonte. Sixth row: Johnston; Fitzpatrick; Thompson; C. Homan; Carrier; Maunsell; Balboni; E. Smith. Seventh row: R. Parrent; Newton; P. Saunders; J. Rynes; Cahalan; A. May; D. Nappi; B. Wile.

## MISCELLANEOUS PICTURES





## WINNING PHOTO IN THE PHOTO CONTEST



# WHAT'S NEW AT THE AGGIE?

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WAREHOUSING  
SALES  
&  
SERVICE

## DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION

Front row: P. Bergendahl; W. Kelley; R. Olsen; L. Lambert; R. Watts; D. Flynn. Second row: D. Dulong; D. MacDonald; E. Shinn; B. Brown; N. Mitchell; Mr. J. P. Manning, (Instructor).

### Think Big

It has been 10 years since the first class of 1961 has graduated from the Distributive Education course. Walter Kelley decided to come back to the school for a visit. He found that Mr. John Paul Manning, the presiding instructor, is now financially unbalanced. While most of his students are now quite successful, most of them now own their own business. Walter was telling him about the latest luncheon that the executives held. They meet every Friday noon for lunch at the corner of Dunn and Brad Street.

Neal Mitchell has just bought 50 head of thoroughbred race horses for \$21,000 a head. He owns the finest stable in Kentucky and is a strong competitor to Calumet farms. Roland Martin is now president of the R. and M. food distributors, and is supplying First National with 85% of their Fine Foods. Dave Dulong is owner of Double D. Treeservice. He just lost a big job at Disney-land to Dale Flynn, who also owns one of the biggest tree companies in the U. S. Ed Shinn recently bought a new estate where he is still raising horses as a hobby, he is located right next to Doug MacDonald's greenhouses. Doug owns a series of greenhouses which he calls Old MacDonald's Greenhouses. He has 15 acres under glass.

Bill Brown is the District Parts Manager and Parts Trouble Shooter for all Ford Agencies in the New England area. He recently sold Mr. Manning a 1949 Ford but, sad to say had to reclaim it because there were no payments made. Pete Bergendahl has opened up a greenhouse and garden supply center at the northshore Shopping Center. The words out that Breck's is going out of business.

It's too bad that Richard Olsen and Dick Watts had a run in. It seems that Mr. Olsen spent much time and money putting in a lawn for Mr. Manning. Then Mr. Watts came with his oil truck and one of his poor workers spilt oil all over the new lawn which killed most of the grass. It's no wonder that Richard Olsen and Dick Watts never got paid for the oil or the lawn. (Too bad boys.)

Miss Lambert now owns her own greenhouse, and this year she is in charge of the Annual Flower Show in Boston.

# SENIOR BANQUET





## SENIOR PROM



# Essex Tagie Sports Section





## VARSITY FOOTBALL

First Row left to right: G. Hogan, W. Greesch, S. Frasca, H. Grohman, P. Jones, F. Conway, W. Holman, K. Johnston, S. Fishman. Second Row: S. Rosenthal, D. Dulong, R. Hutchinson, R. Levett, T. White, P. O'Connor, R. Bessom, G. Kelley, E. Obdens, J. Perkins, R. Nappi, C. Newhook. Third Row: Mr. Couhig, Mr. Powell, B. Shinn, R. Lee, P. Johnston, B. Buchanan, A. Crutcher, J. Wood, J. Rymes, K. Marshall, N. Ricci, B. Dearborn, Mr. Potter.

Under the leadership and direction of coach Potter, and assistant coach Powell, the boys began their second year in 11 man football. After the previous years experience in learning the tricks of the trade of 11 man, the squad was expected to do well. Despite the terrific odds of a slow start and the loss of several good players, due to injuries, the squad made as formidable a team as any in the league.

The coaches worked constantly and diligently to teach the boys their new assignments. The rough spots of the first few days began to smooth out and the 11 boys on the starting team began to step, block and run together. This being only the second year of 11 man ball, inexperience was a handicap which can only be overcome through time and playing games. The boys gave their all at every game but only came out of the battle with one win and six losses. This is of no account because Aggie teams have proven over the years that they can do a job, and do a good one. Let's look for the golden days of autumn in the bright year of 1961.

Thanks to the seniors - Bruce Dearborn, Dave Dulong, Pete Jones, Neal Mitchell, Phil O'Connor, Nick Ricci, Bill Shinn, Tim White, James Wood, Walt Hohman, and John Perkins. You will be missed next year but we know that your fight, spirit and leadership will brush off on the underclassmen. Thanks to the underclassmen team for a job well done in 1960 and a request that you try your best in 1961.

"Essex we cheer thy name, thy honor to proclaim."





## CROSS COUNTRY TEAM

First Row: N. Halford, P. Scott, R. Nordstrom, J. Lambert, B. O'Loughlin, D. Waye. Second Row: J. Teeling, T. Carrien, B. Gagnon, R. Murray, T. DiNocco, N. Crocker, R. Ward. Third Row: Mr. Deacon, Coach, R. Martin, E. Carpenter, A. Callahan, R. Maunsell, A. Bleau, S. Pretanick, L. Sanford.

Cross Country is a sport which requires a different type of athlete. I have played in other sports, but never have I participated in a sport which requires so much endurance as does Cross Country. It is the most trying of all sports, for many times during a race the runner is inclined to quit; but due to some inner force, he continues running the race that at times might total three miles. This exhausting, body building sport engages in the use of every muscle in his entire body.

However, even with the persistence of the boys and the marvelous coaching rendered by Mr. Deacon, the boys failed to win very many meets, losing all but one; but at the Cape Ann Meet they managed a fourth place out of seven teams competing. It must be noted though, that this years team consisted mainly of Freshmen and Sophomores, and that if these same boys stick with track for the next few years, it is evident that Essex Aggie will turn out the best team in Cape Ann League history.

From the 1960, Roadsters retired, Bleau and Martin, wish the team of "61" the best of luck.



## HOCKEY TEAM

Back row L. to R.: (Coach) Perry; R. Nihan; R. Chuchill; F. Portras; R. Tilton; R. Clinton; M. Mullins.  
Front row: Levitt; F. Quinn; R. Kelley; B. Garrant; Bent; E. Sheehan.

## HOCKEY

Essex, this year, can vouch for one of the best hockey teams yet in our history. Even though we lost some good players last graduation, we came back this year with an excellent first line.

The first line, all seniors, will be hard to lose come graduation, but our second line leaves many fine prospects for next year. In this respect, Coach Perry was wise in using a balance of first and second line players in games and practices to give them much valuable experience.

We saw a bright future for the Team this year as we learned that Leonard Perry, former Lynn English Hockey player and post-graduate of the Aggie was to be the new Coach. With a striking background and interest in sports, Coach Perry attracted the confidence of the Team immediately.

One of Coach Perry's first achievements was the acquirement of financial help from the F.F.A., in the form of over \$500.00 for insurance and equipment, the largest amount ever given the Hockey Team, showing the advance of Hockey as a major sport at Essex. With this in mind, it gave the Team a Tremendous morale booster.

This, however, was not all that the Coach accomplished; he did a superb job of coaching, managing, and scheduling the Team through our three month period and is even now lining up games for next year.

We won our first game with the second line playing against Lynn Atlantics followed by two wins against Amesbury and a tie with Gordon Divinity. The last game was lost to Gordon Divinity.

Special praise goes to Dick Kelley, the winner of this years JAMES M. COLE MEMORIAL AWARD; also to Bob Garrant, Dave Otis, Ed Sheehan, and Frank Quinn.

Our thanks to Coach Perry and good luck to next years Team.



## VARSITY BASKETBALL

L. to R.-D. Townley, S. Rosenthal (Managers), W. Shinn; B. Dearborn; L. Craig; B. Buchanan; P. O'Connor; N. Mitchel; W. Gagnan; T. White; A. Bleau; L. Campbell.

## BASKETBALL

The 1961 Basketball Season was the best Essex Aggie has ever had in league competition. However, only due to the persistent effort of Coach Ray Potter and the hard work of seven boys who were sincerely out to win and willing to follow the instructions of a truly great coach were we able to win. Furthermore, victory would have been impossible if we had not had the wholehearted support of Dave Townley and Steve Rosenthal, and the whole student body who had supported us even in the deepest moments of despair.

The team went off to a slow start loosing 7 out of their first 8 games, winning only over Masconomet. However, the games were very close, and I personally believe that if we had had a regulation gym and played half of our games at home that the standings would have shown Essex sweeping the league. Consequently, we played with a handicap all year.

The second half the Essex boys worked more as a team and took better advantage of their six-foot three and six-foot five tall men. That half we managed a 6 for 8 record as compared to a one for eight record during the first half. We finished with a seven and nine record making us eligible for the Bay State Tournament where we were defeated by one point by Matignon H. S.

The Basketball team of 1960-61 sincerely wishes to send their appreciation to Dave Townley and Steve Rosenthal, who as managers, were deeply concerned with the welfare of the team and to coach Ray Potter, and to the student body who stood by us so faithfully.

From Bruce Dearborn, Bill Shinn, Phil O'Connor, Neil Mitchel, and Al Bleau comes all the success in the world to the team of 1961-62.

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## JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL

L. to R.: S. Rosenthal; D. Townley; (managers); L. Craig; J. Sample; E. Carpender; G. Maunsell; K. Johnston; A. Crutcher; R. Bessom; R. Murray; A. Campbell; J. Mulkern; W. Gagnon; S. Fraska.





## 2Y STUDENTS

Front: R. Smith; D. Mullins. Back: P. Scott; H. Crosby; J. Clinton



## CHORUS

L. to R.: D. Cuscuna, A. Bleau, S. Calif, P. Gibbon, L. Cormier, B. McCarron, K. Hughes, L. Lambert, S. Jackman, J. O'Neill, P. Murphy, D. Jackman, L. Murphy. Mr. Bennett at the organ.



## EXTRA CURRICULAR AWARD

Front: D. Townley; J. O'Neill; P. O'Connor. Back: D. Dulong; A. Bleau; L. Craig.



## CHEERLEADERS

Front row: F. Headley; C. Lurvey; P. Murphy; R. Roaf. Second row: S. Williams; E. Levesque; J. Jafferian; C. Johonnet; M. Newhall.



## HONOR SOCIETY

First row: Mr. Bennett (Advisor), S. Rosenthal; D. Townley; J. O'Neill; P. O'Connor; S. Pretnik; J. Sandlin; A. Bleau. Second row: F. Headley; F. Poirier; N. Halford; R. Tilton; P. Lebednik; A. Levesque; R. Nihon; R. Cahalane. Third row: R. Stirling; L. Cormier; L. Craig; P. Walker; H. Huson; R. Walsh; P. MacAdams.



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## F.F.A.

In early February we were honored by a visit from all the National F.F.A. Officers. Our Parent and Son banquet celebrating their visit was attended by far the largest number parents ever to come to one of these events. Each National Officer gave a brief talk during the entertainment part of the program. Their talks were outstanding in interest and were greatly appreciated by all.

Our Essex Chapter exhibit competed with other chapter exhibits at the state F.F.A. Ass'n meeting at the University and it was unanimously selected by the judges as the exhibit which should represent Mass. at the 1960 National Convention in Kansas City, Mo.

The September 1960 Topsfield Fair was dedicated to the Essex Chapter F.F.A. In keeping with this the students of the Essex Chapter operated a Cheddar Cheese booth for the United Farmers of New England Inc. An income of \$186 was realized for our chapter treasury as well as tremendous public relations.

Mr. Goodno, Advisor of our Forestry club, conducted contests in wood sawing, wood chopping and log rolling for F. F. A. teams at Topsfield Fair. The Essex teams took several top honors in these contests.

In mid September, the Essex chapter was host to six Future Farmers of the Philippines, including Antonio Onia, President of their 12,000 members.

At our annual master budget meeting in November, the members voted expenditures for our thirteen committees and ten clubs totaling \$3188.76 for our fiscal year 1960-61. To offset this expenditure the budget showed an estimated income of \$3,875.80, giving a profit of \$687.04.

At the Parliamentary Procedure Contest held at the Officers Training School for Eastern Mass. Chapters, our officers won by a substantial margin, thus qualifying them to compete in the state final contest at the University of Massachusetts in April.

In early December the Vegetable Judging and Vegetable Insect and Disease Identification team of Essex Chapter travelled to Participate in the national contest of the National Junior Vegetable Growers Association. Out of 250 individuals on 75 teams our team placed third in the Nation and as individuals, 6th, 7th, and 11th.

An outstanding Charitable service was rendered by the Essex Chapter in September with the purchase of a pure bred Holstein heifer with calf for \$400. The heifer was donated to the Heifers for Hope project to be sent to a farmer in West Germany. The farmers were to be refugees from Communist Controlled East Germany.

# ESSEX CHAPTER F.F.A. ESTIMATED MASTER BUDGET 1960-1961

<u>COMMITTEES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED INCOME</u>	<u>ESTIMATED EXPENSE</u>
1. Executive Committee	\$618.75	\$558.80
2. Roadside Stand-Topsfield Fair Booth	1377.05	848.70
3. Parent and Son Banquet	---	70.00
4. Farm and Home day Suburban Living 1961	---	---
5. Thrift and Scholarship	---	50.00
6. Fairs and Exhibits	35.00	25.00
7. Recreation and Athletics	360.00	640.00
8. Science Expositions	---	25.00
9. Sales Booth and Concessions	500.00	---
10. Entertainment	100.00	55.00
11. Judging and Demonstrations	---	250.00
12. Public Speaking & Non Agri. Contests	---	20.00
13. State and Nat'l. Agricultural Prize Contests	---	5.00
 <u>CLUBS</u>		
14. Horticultural	260.00	146.00
15. Animal Husbandry and Tractor	---	---
16. Checkers	---	---
17. Fruit	---	20.00
18. Vegetable	---	120.00
19. Chess	---	7.50
20. Conservation and Wildlife	---	15.00
21. Poultry Project	300.00	217.76
22. Plays and Entertainment	---	35.00
23. Forestry	<u>325.00</u>	<u>80.00</u>
	<u>\$3875.80</u>	<u>\$3188.76</u>

ESTIMATED BALANCE \$687.04



## F.F.A. BANQUET



## TOPSFIELD FAIR PROGRAM



## HEIFER PROJECT



#### F.H.A. OFFICERS

Front row 1. to r.: Susan Nelson; Elizabeth Morris; Nancy Hartung; Margret Roaf. Second row: Nancy Fields; Sandra Winchester; Sally Earabino; Charlene Davis; Norma Spring; Miss Smith (Advisor).

## FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

Essex Chapter F.H.A. Officers. President: Elizabeth Morris, Vice President: Sandra Winchester, Secretary: Norma Spring, Treasurer: Sally Earabino, Parliamentarian: Nancy Field, Song Leader: Susan Nelson, Historian: Charlene Davis, Reporter: Margaret Roaf, Advisor: Miss Virginia Smith. Also the Essex Chapter had two State Officers: Nancy Hartung, State President, Sheryl Lurvey, State Secretary.

In September, the above officers were installed. In October, a "Spring" Fashion Show was featured which included a "Spring" "Tea" (bag), and antique dresses.

In November, we thought about decorating ideas for Christmas. This was a demonstration on how to make centerpieces, wreaths and tree decorations, given by our advisor, Miss Smith.

Our annual Christmas party was held in December in honor of Mrs. Murphy. The officers wrote and acted a skit called "A Day in the Office" after which Mrs. Murphy was presented a small silver tray to go with the sugar and creamer given to her by the faculty. Santa (Carol Rand) gave a joke present to all the faculty, housekeepers, and janitors. There were presents for the girls and carols were sung. Mr. John Barnes, representative of the Wearever Company, demonstrated various methods of using Wearever Cooking utensils, in January. His demonstration included the waterless method of cooking vegetables and how to bake a cake on top of a gas stove.

A skating party was held in February at the Meadows, in Danvers. F.H.A. hired a bus to take them there. Everyone enjoyed the "ups and downs", and some skated for the first time. Isn't that right, Miss Smith?

In March, F.H.A. talent show was a great hit among the girls. The different acts included singing, dancing and comedy.

The Easter Hat show was a smash hit, in April. The girls really have a knack for decorating hats. Remember that hat?

The closing of F. H. A. affairs at Essex Aggie will be held this June. A Chicken Barbecue is planned with the help of Mr. Brown and the F. H. A. girls. Awards will be given to the outstanding members, by our State President, Nancy Hartung.

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